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FATHER

Used to wonder just why father
Never had much time for play.
Used to wonder why he'd rather
Work each minute of the day.
Used to wonder why he never
Loafed along the road and shirked ;
Can't recall a time whenever
Father played while others worked.

Father didn't dress in fashion,
Sort of hated clothing new,
Style with him was not a passion.
He had other things in view.
Boys are blind to much that's going
On about 'em every day.
And I had no way of knowing
What became of father's pay.

All I knew was when I needed
Shoes, I got 'em on the spot ;
Everything for which I pleaded
Somehow, father always got.
Wondered, season after season,
Why he never took a rest,
And that I might be the reason
Then I never even guessed.

Saw his cheeks were getting paler,
Didn't understand just why,
Saw his body growing frailer,
Then at last I saw him die.
Rest had come ! His tasks were ended,
Calm was written on his brow ;
Father's life was big and splendid,
And I understand it now.

—*Detroit Free Press.*

THE BOOMERANG

"Bother!" exclaimed Bob Greely, letting the Black Baby's main halyards run till the party hoisted sail fell over the boom. "Those reef points are always catching; that's twice I've just missed tearing a hole in the sail!"

Ed Willis, the Greeleys' young boatman, looked up from his work of snapping the jib hooks to the forestay and chuckled. "You want to be sure you unite all the points when you shake out a reef, Bob; you may save yourself a pile of trouble."

"But this reef point isn't tied, Ed, and we didn't use the third line yesterday anyway! I wish you'd look here; the point is caught under the lacing in the queerest way, just like the other time!"

Ed snapped the last hook into place and came aft into the cockpit.

"That point never caught itself," he said, shaking his head after carefully disentangling the rope.

"You mean somebody has been meddling?" cried Bob incredulously. "Who would likely to?"

"Somebody who wants us to tear sail before the race tomorrow, I guess," answered Ed gruffly. "Come on now, let's get off before the wind let's go of us entirely."

They hoisted the mainsail again and were soon sailing along by the shore in the light September breeze; Bob was at the tiller, and Ed was sprawling out on the overhanging stern of the little knockabout.

"Going anywhere? asked Ed. "Perhaps you'd like to go aboard that coal schooner ashore a little piece farther this way."

"Good idea," said Bob, shading his eyes with his hand and looking across the dazzling blue water, which was darkened here and there with fitful puffs of wind. "I guess the wind will just about hold out. Oh, here comes the Adder! Ed, why does George Hawes look so grumpy nowadays? He hardly speaks to either of us!"

Ed exchanged an unenthusiastic wave of the hand with the youth at the tiller of the passing boat and gave one of his characteristic chuckles. "Perhaps he's mad because we got three firsts in the races this summer same as himself. He wants that cup, but, Bobby, unless he comes in ahead of us tomorrow he won't get it, will he?"

"Ed, you don't think he could have had anything to do with those reef points, do you?" exclaimed Bob after a short pause. "I could not believe it of him!"

"No," replied Ed thoughtfully, "I don't honestly think so. But I'll tell you what, Bob; I think that George may have done some talking and put ideas into the heads of some of these smart kids rounds here. But if I could find the kids who tampered with that sail, wouldn't I fix them!"

"I wonder if the racing is the only thing George is mad about," said Bob reflectively. "There must be something else, Ed."

Ed sat up on the deck and took in the sheet. "I'll tell you something if you won't let on I told you. Hawes is fighting mad with me because he thinks I got him into trouble with some friends of his who live over at West Haven. I didn't; they were down on him before I ever came to the island to sail this boat—they knew he'd got in with a bad crowd and wasn't acting right. He's not good company, Bob, and I'd advise you to keep clear of him. He's not your style, for all his money."

"Well," said Bob, "I never liked him But he certainly can sail that boat of his, and I don't think he would do anything much out of the way; I don't really."

In a short time they reached the stranded coal schooner, and, fastening the Black Baby's painter to the mizzen chain, they went on board and made friends with some of the crew.

The cargo was about to be lightered, and some time passed before Bob and his companion became tired of watching the preparation for moving the coal to the clumsy square end craft alongside.

Meanwhile the tide had turned, bringing in a short disagreeable swell with it, and when the two boys were ready to start for home they found the Black Baby pounding and tugging at the end of her painter. Ed stepped over the rail of the schooner into the mizzen chains and started to pull the boat closer in. Suddenly the rope parted, and the knockabout turned broadside to the waves and began to drift away.

Bob had barely time to utter a shout of dismay before Ed dived overboard swam a few quick, powerful strokes, and hoisted himself on the deck of the runaway.

"Pretty fast for an old man!" jeered Bob as Ed got the sail up and ran the Black Baby to the side of the schooner.

But there was no answering smile on Ed's face this time. "Let me see that painter, he said sternly as they began their sail homeward. "Yes, just what I thought! It's been cut right where I spliced it into the bow ring yesterday. Look yourself."

"Whew! So it has!" exclaimed Bob, "But, Ed, who would have done it? Somebody must have done it for a joke, though it's a pretty poor one, I must say!"

"It wasn't meant for a joke. The fellow who cut that painter wanted us to lose the boat or hoped she'd injure herself somehow before the race tomorrow. There's no telling what might have happened if we hadn't turned up at the right time. Suppose we'd been a few minutes later, where do you think your boat would have been with the wind and tide this way? Right on those rocks over there, with a big hole stove in her!" Ed paused angrily. "I'll tell you what I'm going to do," he continued; "I'm going to sleep right on board this boat tonight, and if that joker comes around to play any more tricks he'll get more than he expects for his trouble!"

"I'll sleep out there with you!" cried Bob, full of enthusiasm. "Hadn't I better bring a revolver? I tell you, Ed, I do want that cup awfully. I'm willing to be beaten for it fairly, but it would just about finish me to lose it by a mean trick!"

"A pair of sharp ears is all you'll need, Bob," answered Ed, smiling for the first time, "though you might take along a good pair of eyes too, for there'll be fog tonight! You won't lose that cup by any tricks if I can help it!"

At nine o'clock that evening Ed and Bob stepped into the flat-bottomed skiff and rowed out toward the moored Black Baby. She lay in her customary place in a rather inconvenient and hence unpopular part of the harbor, well away from the houses of the little town, and her only near neighbor was George Hawes's boat the Adder, another of the one-design class of eighteen-footers owned by the summer residents of West Haven. Except for the different names on the stern boards it would have been hard for anyone to tell them apart. The three other boats of the little fleet were white, but these two had been painted black out of deference to their names.

Ed's prophecy had been fulfilled, for a thick fog hung over the water. There was no moon, and by the time the boys reached the Black Baby, which lay about fifty yards farther from the shore than her solitary neighbor, the lights in the distant houses were invisible.

"Hold on a minute," said Ed, speaking low, for there was no wind, and noises carry far in the fog. "We're going to take the boat off her mooring and anchor her the same distance she was from the Adder, only toward the shore."

"What's that for?" asked Bob in an excited whisper.

"If they're going to play any tricks tonight they can play them on their own boat, that's what for," replied Ed grimly. He stepped on board the Black Baby and, after feeling in the darkness for some time, cast off her mooring rope.

"You don't think George is the one?" protested Bob excitedly. "Why, it doesn't seem as if he could be!"

"I'm not mentioning any names," said Ed. "You just wait and see in the next few hours!"

With their boat securely anchored some fifty yards astern of the Adder and the skiff stowed in the cockpit so that it should not betray their presence, the boys rolled themselves in the blankets that they had brought with them and lay down on the two cushioned bunks in the little cabin. Except for the faint lapping round the bows as the boat rose and sank on the almost imperceptible swell and the occasional creak that is never absent from any sailboat, the night was absolutely still. In spite of Bob's interest in the adventure he began to yield to the sleepy influence of the place. The clock in the schoolhouse tower struck eleven, and his eyes shut tight.

Suddenly Ed roused him with a vigorous nudge. "Listen," he said. "Hear the oars?"

The boys crawled out into the cockpit and, keeping their heads well below the level of the coaming, waited with their hearts thumping in their ears. The boat was coming from the direction of the shore, and when it was nearly abreast of them some one in it spoke:

"This first boat is the Adder. The one we want ought to be just beyond her; the fog is so thick it's hard to see. There she is; you're headed right now"

Bob started, for he had recognized the voice. "It is Hawes!" he muttered,

"Keep still!" his companion cautioned him. "He will have to practice on his own boat this time. If he's up to mischief, he'll have to take the consequences!"

The sound of the oars ceased, and Ed raised his head and looked in the direction of the Adder. He could see a faint hazy spot of light, but nothing more. "I guess they've got a flash light to work by," he said with his chuckle, "but it's a little one and probably not strong enough to show them they're on their own boat. Keep still, Bob; we don't want them to come over here, you know."

"Oh, I'd like to get at them!" whispered Bob hoarsely a few minutes later as a faint stir in the vicinity of the Adder told him the marauders were leaving her. "The fellow with George is that fellow Kitson who sails with him in the race, I think. Listen for their voices when they go by us."

The rowboat drew near again, and the crew of the Black Baby listened attentively. George Hawes was speaking; his voice was unmistakable: "Pretty good job, Kitty, wasn't it? I feel I've squared things up a little tonight."

"Yes, fine, George! You're a good one." The quick high-pitched tones were those of Kitson.

"Yes, it will do the business, I gues. The Adder is all right, so we won't stop."

Their voices and sound of the oars died away in the distance, and Bob drew a long sigh of relief. "What do you suppose they've done, Ed?" he asked, stretching his cramped limbs. "And what had we better do about it?"

"We'll put the Black Baby back on her mooring as soon as it's light enough to see, and then we'll have a talk with somebody on the racing committee," said Ed, returning to his bunk as placidly as if nothing out of the common had occurred. "That's about all we'll have to do about it, Bob; the rest will do itself. Now I'm going to sleep; stop talking!"

The sun came out bright the next morning, and long before ten o'clock, the time the race was start, it had burned away the thick fog of the night. The wind was still light, but here and there a stronger puff turned the water a darker blue and gave promise of a good breeze later on.

The race was the last of the series for the class of eighteen-footers and the one that in all probability would decide the ownership of the cup that had been offered to the boat winning the largest number of firsts. Of the seven races sailed on Wednesdays and Saturdays during the summer the Black Baby and the Adder had each won three.

There was great interest both among the native and among the summer population of West Haven in the outcome of the series; and in addition to the five racing knockabouts a dozen or more craft from a fifty-foot yawl to a sailing canoe were sailing short tacks in the vicinity of the judge's boat at the head of the harbor.

Bob and Ed had moved their boat back to its regular mooring before daylight, and later had had an interview with Mr. Sayres of the racing committee while he was eating his breakfast. After hearing this story Mr. Sayres had promised to put the matter before the other members of the committee, and had cautioned the boys to keep absolutely silent about it meanwhile.

"I cannot see anything the matter with the Adder," said Bob, after carefully surveying their rival as they passed and repassed each other while waiting for the first starting gun. "Do you think they could have done anything to her after all?"

"If there's nothing the matter with her now, it's because Hawes and Kitson have found out the funny joke they played on themselves," replied Ed, thoughtfully.

"What do you suppose they could have done to her?"

"Fixed the reef points so they'd tear the sail probably, or maybe they did something queer to the halyards of the sheet so they won't run. Yes, they must have found out, for everything looks as if it were working all right on her."

"Ed," began Bob hesitatingly, as the first gun went off, "you don't suppose they could have done something that won't show up till they've started in the race? It would seem rather mean not to give them some warning. I'd hate to take a race on a thing like that, you know."

"Now see here," said Ed, "don't you get any of those foolish ideas into your head. If we win this race because something breaks on the Adder, you want to remember that Hawes has just given it to us with both hands by committing a state's prison offense! But I guess nothing will break on her today, and if we win, it will be because luck is with us, for Hawes is a good sailor."

The second gun was due to go off in just one minute, and after carefully calculating the distance to the starting line Bob put his boat about and ran for it. The gun sounded when they were a few yards away, and they crossed the line almost abreast of the Adder and a good length ahead of the other boats.

The wind was now nearly a good sailing breeze, and as the boats swept along close-hauled toward the first Mark on the triangular course they were well over on their sides and left long parallel streaks of white foam to mark their wakes. Under Ed's direction Bob was steering and handling his boat well. He took advantage of the stronger puffs of the rising wind to shoot her up to windward and succeeded in reaching the first mark without tacking; consequently he was well ahead of the Adder, which had been obliged to make one short tack in order to weather the buoy.

Ed let the sheet run and expeditiously set the spinnaker as they rounded the buoy. Things looked favorable. But Bob did not have the knack of getting the best out of his boat before the wind; when they passed the second buoy and started on the last leg of the course the Adder was a good four lengths ahead, and the three other boats were gradually creeping up.

"Now, Bob!" cried Ed encouragingly, as he took a turn with the sheet round the cleat. "Show him what you can do with the wind against her. Sail her for all she's worth and don't mind how far you put the rail under!"

The breeze had freshened considerably, and the run back to the head of the harbor promised to be interesting. The waves had not had time to become large enough to impede their progress, and the boats seemed fairly to rip up the water in response to the vigorous gusts. Ed on the Black Baby and Kitson on the Adder were perched high on the windward rails, holding the mainsheet, ready to let out in case of a flaw heavier than their boats could stand. The spray was flying over everything in sparkling silver sheets, and the sails were wet up to the second line of reef points.

Bob, soaked to the skin and with his yellow hair standing on end, was holding the tiller with both hands; his feet were firmly braced against the leward seat. He was on his mettle, and by the time they were two hundred yards from the line he had decreased the distance between himself and his rival to half a length.

Suddenly the Adder's port stay snapped with a loud report. The mast, unequal to the sudden strain put on it, cracked and splintered close to the deck, and the white, bellying sail, collapsing like a pricked balloon, fell into the water. The Black Baby swept by her dismasted antagonist and crossed the line a winner.

Half a dozen boats went instantly to the assistance of the unfortunate Adder, and many pairs of hands were soon helping Hawes and his mate to get the wreckage in some kind of shape. Ed and Bob, seeing that their help was not needed, sailed the Black Baby to her mooring and furled her sail. Then they rowed over to the judge's boat, both grimly silent.

George Hawes, whose face was crimson with anger, was just ahead of them, and they arrived in time to hear him shout to the little group on the deck: "I'm going to protest the Black Baby's win! I tell you my stay was cut—right where it was spliced to the turn-buckle?"

"This is certainly very unfortunate for you," said Mr. Sayres, calmly facing the enraged boy, "but what makes you think it was cut, and why should you protest the Black Baby?"

"I'll tell you why!" roared Hawes, shaking his fist at Ed and Bob. "Those fellows know all about it. They wanted to get even!"

"Hawes, listen to me!" said Mr. Sayres in a stern voice that everyone in the surrounding boat as well as those in the judge's boat could hear. "You can stop right there! I want to know what you and Kitson were doing out on your own boat last night in the fog, under the impression it was the Black Baby?"

Hawes started and then turned white. He moistened his lips; then he dropped his gaze to avoid the astonished and indignant looks directed toward him.

"I shall take up this matter directly with the rest of the racing committee, and you will get a communication from us very soon," continued Mr. Sayres. "It is fortunate neither of you was hurt. Had I thought you were capable of such an outrageous act as cutting what you supposed was your opponent's stay, I should have prevented your starting in the race. And, though I know Greeley would have preferred not to win this race by an accident to his nearest opponent, I think, in view of what has happened, that he deserves to become the owner of this cup, which I present to him with much pleasure." And, taking a beautiful silver cup from its case, he handed it to the embarrassed and grinning Bob while the dishonored Hawes slipped over the rail into his skiff and rowed away.—*Youth's Companion.*

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LOUISVILLE.

Louisville St. Xavier, 10
Kentucky School for the Deaf, 3

Athletic Director Ashland Martin of K. S. D., brought his baseball team to Louisville, May 3d, to cross bats with the crack local, St. Xavier Club, and before a large crowd, among which were some 75 K. S. D. Alumni, took the short end of the score, 10 to 3. It was probably the first visit of most of the players to a large city, and they suffered from stage fright than from anything else. French, Martin's ace, started wild, but improved as the game progressed; but the damage had already been done, as St. Xavier scored four runs, 2 on each occasion after two were out due to outfield muffs.

Box Score :

K. S. D.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Downard, 3b	3	0	2	2	1	0
Kelly, ss	3	0	1	0	3	1
Morgan, c	3	1	1	7	0	1
Sweets, 2b	3	1	0	2	0	0
French, p	2	1	1	0	1	0
Barksdale, cf	2	0	1	1	0	1
Coomer, rf	3	0	1	0	0	1
Hull, 1b	3	0	1	3	1	0
Piddock, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Total	26	3	8	15	6	4

St. Xavier	A.B	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Weber, 2b	3	3	1	3	3	0
T. Clines, ss	4	3	4	1	1	2
Shaughnessy, 1b	4	1	1	3	0	0
Fuller, 3b	3	1	1	2	1	0
Shoffer, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
King, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
W. Clines, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Sieverts, c	3	1	1	7	1	1
Ober, p	1	1	1	0		0
Total	26	10	9	17	6	3

* Game called with 2 out at beginning of 6th inning.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	R.	H.	E.
K. S. D.	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	4
St. X.	2	4	0	0	4	x	10	8	3

John J. ("Astor") Frederick was surprised and charmed at a 500 party in honor of his umpty steenth birthday, on the night of May 10th. After the games had been decided, J. J. was awarded the guest's prize, a beauty of a N. F. S. D. emblem charm.

The annual picnic of Louisville Division, No. 4, N. F. S. D., will be held at beautiful Shawnee Park, on Sunday, June 22d, the last day of "Home Coming Week." In vain have we tried to pry loose from the Picnic Committee inside dope other than the date and place, but we are assured that they have "something new every minute" up their sleeves. It will be preceded by No. 4's annual smoker and initiation, Saturday night, June 21st, which, of course, is for members only.

Any or all former Kentuckians, now located elsewhere, intending to come home, should communicate at once with Mr. J. H. Mueller, 1013 East Kentucky Street, Louisville, Ky, in order to let him know in plenty of time, so that he can take care of their share of the good things that we will dish out.

"Florida Bill" Hovious has joined the small local silent colony of auto owners—its a touring car of the well known Detroit manufacture.

One more inspectorcuss got it in the neck, May 1st, in the Louisville Police Court. A patrolman noticed a well dressed young man making a house to house canvass along Bardstown Road, and decided to investigate. The poor young man pleaded guilty to being deaf—and dumb. He had a subscription paper, which set forth that he had lost his hearing a few years ago, how he was working hard—with his subscription list—to raise the sum of $750.00 in order that he could

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While the base-ball team of the Kentucky School for the Deaf was going down in inglorious defeat at the hands of the local St. Xavier team on May 3d, as described elsewhere in these columns, another team of the school, composed of five boys and five girls, met and defeated all comers at a different kind of game. This team was the delegation to the State Convention of Christian Endeavors, and the game was counting which Society in the State was entitled to take home with it the banner for the largest enrolled membership for the year. K. S. D, with an enrolled membership of 450 easily won, the next largest Society being considerably like 75 less in the rear.

Mesdames Grow and Yeager, who chaperoned the party, have spent so many years in the work of building up the Society at the school were visibly proud of their victory. It was with the greatest effort that we were able to get the banner out of their hands, in order to mount a platform and display it to the hundred or more Falls Cities Alumni of K. S. D., who had gathered at Robinson Hall to do homage to both the Endeavors and the ball team on Saturday night, May 3d.

"CERTIFIED BOND."

May 3, 1924.

Glass Building Brick.

Glass-faced bricks with concrete backing have been more or less used in various parts of the country. They seem to be superior to any form of tile or glazed brick as a lining for tunnels, swimming pools or bathrooms; for the inside walls of garages, engine houses, prisons, meat markets and other structures where perfect cleanliness is desirable as difficult. They are heat and cold resisting, and declared to be everlasting, requiring no paint or other treatment to preserve their appearance. For shops and factories the concrete-backed glass brick would seem an almost ideal material.

The construction of the brick is as follows: To a glass facing, one-fourth inch thick at its thinnest part, is attached a well-proportioned concrete back. The concrete backing is attached to the glass front by three separate means, each entirely sufficient to secure the union of the two materials. First, the cement on the concrete adheres to the glass; second, both ends of the glass face are returned by greater than a right angle, thus imprisoning the concrete mass; third, a dovetailed rib of glass traverses the entire length of the back of the facing, at once strengthening the glass face and also securing it to the concrete body. The glass face is one sixteenth of an inch larger all around than the concrete body, thus making it possible to be a good mortar bond, notwithstanding that the mortar between the faces of the glass may be almost entirely pressed out.

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EASTERN IOWA.

JOHNSON

Mrs. Bertha G. Johnson, 43 years of age, residing at 725 Twenty-third Street, Rock Island, died at St. Anthony's Hospital at 5 o'clock this morning. Death followed an illness of more than a year caused by complications.

Mrs. Johnson, whose maiden name was Miss Bertha Gates, had lived in Rock Island for the past four years. She is survived by her husband, Edward Johnson of this city, her mother, Mrs. George Gates of Davenport; and two brothers, Lester of Burlington, Ia., and Floyd of Davenport, and two sisters, Miss M. B. Gates of Lakeland, Fla., and Mrs. W. C. Tucker of Cedar Rapids, Ia.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the Hodgson and Hoban funeral parlors and interment will be in Chippiannock Cemetery.—*Davenport Daily Times. Jan. 22, 1924.*

Funeral services for Mrs. Edward A. Johnson, 725 Twenty-third Street, Rock Island, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the Hodgson and Hoban funeral home. Rev. J. A. Beyer was in charge of the services, and interment was in Chippiannock Cemetery. Pall bearers were August Valentine, Rosoce Bradney, Seymour Schaffer, G. Willeys, Lawrence Newton and Edgar Webb.—*Davenport Daily Times, Jan. 24, 1924.*

Mrs. Bertha Johnson attended school at Iowa School for the Deaf, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Mr. Isaac Weisbaum, of Dubuque, visiting friends and attended the N. F. S. D. meeting there. His visit was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Isaac Weisbaum was laid off, after having worked for the Brunswick, Balke, Collender Company for a year or so, because of dull business, and left for Peoria, Ill., to work for a while till work picks up.

The Purity Oats Company plant in Davenport, Ia., was shut down ever since last Fall, and Mr. Frank Stacy, who has worked there for many years, got laid off.

The other plant of the same company at Keokuk, Ia., was shut down the same way, and Mr. Jesse Barnes who worked there for many years, got laid off too.

On April 26th last, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Loughran, of Davenport, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Bradney, Mr. Art Johnson and Mr. C. Webb, of Rock Island, Ill., motored to Kewanee, Ill., to help the mutes there swell their attendance at the meeting.

On May 8th last, the waiter's little toe of the right foot was broken at two places by a hub falling on it while doing drilling work. He is getting along O. K., and will soon return to work.

Last Saturday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Webb, and son Clarence, of Rock Island, Illinois, motored to Monmouth, Ill., in the latter's car on business and returned the next day. They formerly lived there.

Mrs. Elizabeth T. Price

Funeral service for Mrs. Elizabeth T. (Russell) Price, widow of the late John F. Price, who died suddenly May 8th, at Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Williams of Lawrence St., were held Saturday afternoon at the Williams' home and were attended by many relatives and friends of the deceased. The services were conducted by the Rev. A. C. Youmans pastor of the Old South Christian Church. The pall bearers were: Albert L. Wales, William O. Crosby and Harry W. Vaughn, nephews of the deceased, and Ned A. Pike, Frank D. Williams and John O'Rourke. The burial was in the Riverview Cemetery, Groveland, Mass. The floral tributes included lilies and sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. Percy C. Frisbie and Clifton Frisbie of Dorchester, roses and sweet peas, George L. Williams, basket sweet peas and roses; Mrs. Sarah A. Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Wales, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. I. Fred Vaughn; jonquils; Mr. and Mrs. Roger T. Williams; wreath of sweet peas and carnations, John M. Jackson; sweet peas, Ladies Old Home auxiliary of Everett; lilies, D. A. Stanford; jonquils, Mr. and Mrs. E. Berenson; carnations, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Edwards, Mrs. Mabel Clough, Miss Mary E. Brennan, Mrs. Annie R. Larrabee, William M. Scoles.—*Haverhill, Mass., Gazette, May 12th.*

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NEW YORK

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

CLARK A. A.

The Clark Deaf-Mute Athletic Association held a Whist and Dance in the Guild Room of St. Ann's Church, 511 West 148th Street, on Saturday evening, May 17th, 1924, with a very good attendance, 200 being about the number.

The Arrangement Committee did every thing for the comfort and pleasure of those present.

Mr. Ludwig Fischer sold tickets at the entrance, and Messrs. Begy, Breslauer, Haberstroh and Glassner took in the pasteboards.

The refreshment counter was presided over by Messrs. Koehler and Kempf.

The prize winners in the whist were as follows: Messrs. Zeiss, Haff and Goldowen acting as scorers.

PRIZE WINNERS

Ladies—Miss C. Hunter, first; Mrs. J Haff, second; Miss A. Schneider, third; and Mrs. Haberstroh, booby.

Gentlemen—Sam Eber, first; Julius Farliser, second; Max Hoffman, third; and David Polinsky, booby.

The Committee of Arrangements deserve credit for their work. They were Messrs. A. L. Pfandler (Chairman), Ludwig Fischer and H. Kreigeschen.

The Clark Deaf-Mute Athletic Association in the past has won renown in athletics, and has a number of silver cups to testify to the prowess of its members on field and track.

The officers of the Clark organization for the present year are: President, Mr. Haberstroh; Vice-President, Mr. Blumenthal; Secretary, Mr. Glassner; Treasurer, Mr. Fogel.

After giving the bridal pair a chance to get settled in their New York home, forty friends of Mr and Mrs. Keith Watt Morris tendered them a reception and dinner at the famous Strand Roof on Saturday evening, May 17th. The Strand served a delicious dinner, of which the principal dishes were: Fruit salad, asparagus soup, with croutons, salmon cutlets, roast turkey with mushrooms and cranberry sauce, hearts of lettuce salad, strawberry tortoni with lady fingers, demi-tasse, all with the customary "Strand Roof" culinary embellishments. Mr. Charles C McMann officiated as Toastmaster and Impressario. At the first of the five tables were seated the happy bride and groom, and Mr. and Mrs. McMann, and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Kane, Mrs. Runkle and Mr. W. Brogan of Philadelphia, Mrs. Johanna McCluskey and Mr. John A. Roach, of Philadelphia and the bride's sister, Mrs Frances Robinson and Mr. A. L Pach. At the other tables were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Gillen, Mr. and Mrs. E F. Wolgamot, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lipgens, Miss Mabel Johns, Miss Emily Andem, Miss E. H. Spanton, Miss J. Palmer, Miss E E. Sherman, Miss A. D. Atkinson, Mrs. J. R Gooding, Mrs. B. Smith, Mrs Blanche Selleck Nimmo and Messrs. K. Muir, G. H. Hummel, J. Maxey, and J. O. Fitzgerald. A present to the newly weds from the welcomers will make a delightful remembrance of the affair though the evening's delights will probably never be forgotten by those who took part in the series of events that begun at 9:30 and lasted till midnight. A number of those present were former classmates of Mr Morris at the Wright Oral School, but among the other schools represented, besides Gallaudet College and two European schools were Fanwood, Lexington, Westchester, Mt Airy, Northampton, Texas and California, and it is rare and unusual for such a number of our distinguisted schools for the deaf to be represented in so comparatively small gathering. In the past, when Mr. Morris has had a hand in directing one of the social affairs of this nature, he has always, literally, been the life of the party, but on this occasion, with becoming modesty, he just sat dignifiedly proud of the honors and homage being tendered to his charming and beautiful bride. Mr. Roach, who was the bestman at the wedding, served for the ninth time in that happy capacity, and announces that he is going to make it an even dozen before he takes his own matrimonial plunge. Diners at other tables would never have thought that Mrs. Robinson the bride's hearing sister was not, like the others, deaf, for she uses her fingers as if to the manor born. When Miss Helen Waters became Mrs. Keith Watt Morris, the Capital City sustained a heavy loss, and Manhattan is that much richer, so it is a compensating little old world after all.

The preliminary arrangements for the Welcome Homeland dinner were made by Mrs. H. P. Kane (Chairman), Mrs. C. C. McMann, Mr. J. O. Fitzgerald and Miss E. H. Spanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Denis Desaix, the French deaf couple, who went to Paris, France, on December 12th, 1922, on their honeymoon, returned to New York on the "Belgenland" (Red Star Line) on the night of May 4th, but did not land till the next morning, and then they were obliged to go to Ellis Island, where they were detained for three days. On Thursday, May 8th, they were permitted to enter their adopted country, America, and they are now at present stopping with Mrs. Desaix's sister on Washington Heights. They brought over their baby boy, who was born in Paris, and is now over one year old, and is named Rene Desaix.

On Tuesday, May 13th, a party of married women decided to hold a theatre party, and after looking over the lengthy list of plays billed on Broadway, decided to witness "Why Men Leave Home." The party consisted of Mesdames Kenner, Lefi, L. A Cohen, Gomprecht, Lowenherz, Max Miller and A. Solomon.

Miss Geraldine Gibbons, formerly of Chicago, but now of Toledo, Ohio, spent the winter in Mami, Fla. On her way home she stopped in New York for a week, and was shown around town by Miss Cecile Hunter. Mr. Max Lubin tendered her a complimentary dinner before her departure home.

Mr. Alex L. Pach is now firmly established in his new headquarters, 150 Broadway (Westinghouse Building) It took no little time to move from Trinity Building, where he had been doing business for many years, but now he is ready in his new place to attend to all sittings.

Mr. Arthur L. Taber, from his Brooklyn home, journeyed to Van Cortlandt Park Sunday morning, expecting to play a practice game of base ball, but only three players showed up. He had to carry back the ba's, mask, etc!

Mr. Leo Berzon, of New Rochelle, N. Y., is now a resident of Valley Stream, L. I., where he has a newspaper route. He makes deliveries by auto, owning an 'Overland."

August Wriede took Miss Rebecca Champagne to Braddock Heights, Md., on May 19th, while the latter was on a visit to the Maryland Institution at Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weisman are back in New York, after seven months' sojourn in Syracuse, N. Y., where Mr. Weisman had steady employment.

Miss Elizabeth Boatwright will spend the summer in Spain and Italy, whither she goes for the Spanish Museum of New York.

Wichita, Kan.

Robert Reed and Levi Carter have joined the local N. F. S. D., No. 75. They expect to follow the harvest when it starts

It is noticed that Richard Rawlings is out in Sunny California, still following the brake-beams.

Virgil Dowell, a peddler of A, B, C and needle pockets was in town recently, but Wichita not being a very healthy place for those of his profession, he decided to move on Work could not interest him unless the pay was $8.00 per day or more.

Harley Sleeper and family are to move back to their farm near Greensburg, Kan., in the near future. Harley not having steady work enough to m ke both ends meet, so the return to the farm was decided on.

Wm Settles has gone to his old home in Missouri. It is generally predicted that "Sissy" will be back amongst us, ere many moons pass, and ye writer would not be surprised to hear he had fallen a leap year victim.

Robert Reed purchased a Tin Lizzie recently, and took quite a few up to Newton, Kan, to call on the mutes there, one Sunday recently. They found E. S. Paxton back from California. He intends moving back, as soon as he can dispose of his Newton property, to be with his children out west.

Dora Keoch, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. R Keoch, of 427 Ida, is one of the 450 graduates of the 1924 class of the Wichita High School and only "Sweet Sixteen." "Burchie," the son, will also graduate from the grade, some record, only 13.

Everett Wimp, long reputed as Wichita's most eligible bachelor of the silent set, is reported as being a leap year victim.

Amos Myers was reported to be pretty sick lately at his home on S. Voltusia, but at this writing is well on the road to recovery.

James Edward Willie Pugh bought his aged flivver a brand new tog last January, but to date has never ventured forth in it. Reason: James Eddy hasn't the pep to turn the crank.

Joey Cox, who took a two weeks vacation last September for the purpose of getting his barn painted, hasn't got it painted yet.

So the country is to be combed soon for the suckers to another scheme similar in some respects to that at Valley Stream. It is not believed any victims will be found in this locality.

OHIO.

(News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 993 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.)

May 15, 1924—It seems as though the deaf fakir continues to ply his nefarious scheme despite all efforts to eradicate him. Not long ago one was caught up in the north western part of the country, and he certainly should have been given a long term behind the bars instead of a few months, as he had been working in Canada and this country.

Now we have another of the same kind shown in Dayton, O., as the following will show from the *Dayton Herald*:

"Members of the 'fraternity of the speechless' were called to headquarters by Dayton police last night and their aid was enlisted in the efforts to capture a "deaf-mute" robber who has visited several homes in the last few days and committed thefts.

"Several deaf and dumb men conferred with police officials at headqnarers regarding the activities of the robber. Police say the deaf-mutes of the city know when a deaf-mute arrives in Dayton and are well acqainted with the movements of their fellow deaf-mutes.

"They told police that they believe the robber is not deaf and dumb, but is merely pretending that he cannot speak nor hear when he is detected entering a home, in order to evade capture as a robber.

"Another attempt on the part of the 'deaf-mute' robber to enter a Dayton home was reported to police yesterday by Mrs. Edward Philips, 2026 North Main Street

"According to Mrs. Philips' description, the robber has discarded the gray hat which was a distinguishing part of his costume, and is wearing a black derby. She told the police the man unlocked the door to her home Wednesday and walked upstairs, where she discovered him The man presented a paper, claiming that he was soliciting subscriptions, and pretended to be a deaf-mute

"Several homes have been entered by the man in the last few days. If any one is in the house, he makes signs that he cannot speak or hear, and offers a paper purporting to be a subscription list for disabled war veterans. Police say that if no one is at home when the man enters a house, he robs the place."

At the meeting of the Advance Society on the evening of the 9th inst, with nineteen members present and vice-president Basil Grigsby presiding.

Treasurer Ohlemacher reported the total balance on hand is 321 35.

A letter of thanks and apprecahon was read from Mrs. E. T. King and daughter for flowers sent by the society for the funeral and other courtesies extended by members during Mr. King's illness.

A letter from Mrs. Gleason, the Secretary of the Ladies' Aid Society, offering to go half on the purchase of fiv-dozen dessert dishes was read and the purchase ordered. It was also agreed to unite with the Ladies' Aid Society and the N. F. S. D division in the purchase of an oil stove to be used at entertainments. Miss Bessie Edgar was tendered a vote of thanks for a donation of teaspoons some time ago. Much time was spent in a discussion of the auto to be purchased, who should drive it, for what purposes, its care and and upkeep. Its main use will be the conveying of persons up to the Home to hold Sunday services for the residents, and to members of societies having to go up there on business. Under no consideration will the vehicle be given to any one for pleasure rides.

Messrs. Fred Schwartz, Wm. H. Zorn and Chester Huffman, were appointed a committee to prepare a set of rules governing the use of the machine.

It was voted to purchase a Tudor Sedan.

The Secretary was requested to write to the President of the Board of Managers for a contribution from the Board to the Auto Fund.

The next meeting will be held June 3d.

The total Auto Fund up-to-date is $631.99 There are still some reports to come in from collectors.

The Stitch and Chatter Club will hold an all-day picnic, May 30th, on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Neuner on Brown Road, half a mile north of Greenlawn Cemetery. The proceeds from it go to the Auto Fund.

There was a large attendance at the reading Mr. MacGregor gave last Saturday evening, under the auspices of the Toledo Ladies' Aid Society, and the talk was very interesting to those fortunate to be present. Following it the ladies gave a pageant in the characters of some fourteen much-advertised articles, garbing themselves in the costumes displayed in newspaper and magazine advertisement. For instance there was Aunt Jemima's pancake flour, Baker's cocoa and sun maid raisins, etc. The prize winners in guessing most of the characters were Mrs. Whitmarsh Green and Norbert Pilliod. Mr. MacGregor came in for some fun at the end of the show, for each of the characters as they made themselves known gave him a package of what they represented, so he had quite a load of good or useful articles to bring home with him.

It was Mr. Elmer Elsey and not Mr. Volp, who took him up and back. Others of the party were Mrs. Elsey, Miss Abbie Krauss and Mrs. Dill Ellis from Marion, O.

Mr. Frank Bauer, of Akron, and Mrs. Maude Bengsch, of Cleveland, were married by Rev. C. W. Charles, in Trinity Chapel, Cleveland on April 24th, in the presence of friends of couple and of the parish. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mohr. Their honeymoon was spent in Chicago and others points, and they are now at home, 309 Grand Avenue, Akron, Ohio. We extend our best wishes to them, the groom we know well, but are not acquainted with his bride, though we knew her late husband Mr. Bengsch for many years in which he was a regular subscriber to the JOURNAL.

Mr George Goll, of near Stryker, Ohio, was given a birthday surprise party, May 8th, by quite a number of deaf from Toledo, and near surrounding towns. He was presented a number of gifts, and a fine spread served before the party broke up. A good time was enjoyed by all, and expressions of many such parties were wished for Mrs. Goll.

A. B. G.

Gallaudet College.

Needn't mention the weather. We're experiencing one hundred and twenty-five different kinds of it in a single day. So this is May.

The Barnum and Bailey Circus is in town, and the old time game of "hookey" is our most popular sport. A new crop of demerits has grown over-night. Read 'em and weep.

Talk about weddings on the Green, well it's developed into an epidemic. Miss Marion Smith, of Pennsylvania, a teacher in the Kendall School, was secretly married during the Easter vacation, and her friends here only found it out this week. Cupid wields a wicked bow on Kendall Green. Batter up. Who's next?

The staff of the *Buff and Blue* enjoyed a picnic at Great Falls on Saturday, the tenth. Mrs. Drake chaperoned the party. The Potomac was on the rampage and was a most unusual sight.

The Alumni Association presented "Cabbages and Kings," a series of short plays, in the college chapel on the evening of the tenth. The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of the coming reunion. The old grads sure showed us a few. The largest crowd of the year taxed the chapel to see the show. Miss Nelson, Messrs. Drake, Hughes, Stewart, Pulver and Guire, were the committee in charge.

Misses Coleman, Gaarder and Sandberg, Messrs. Cooper, Marshall, Connor, Erickson, Lahn, and Falk, also took parts in the plays.

Miss Elizabeth Moss, '21, of New York, was a week-end visitor.

Gallaudet 6 — George Washington 5

The baseball team managed to best the G. W. U. Engineers in the annual ball game. The playing was a bit loose on our part, and the Engineers all but ran away with the game in the ninth inning, when the visiting pitcher hit a homer with two on. The score was 6 to 5 up till that time. Our men outhit the Hatchetites, but errors almost evened up the count, Massinkoff at second was the shining light for our men. He hit a homer and ran wild on the bases, stealing home an another occasion. B. Wright also hammered the pill. The coach is having a hard time with the local pitching staff. Knauss is the only consistent tosser available at present. He twirled the whole game.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
G. W. U.	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	—5
Gallaudet	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	x	—6

Blue Ridge, 5 — Gallaudet, 2

The Buff and Blue showed up poorly against Blue Ridge, May 10th, on the home grounds. Capt. Lahn pitched a steady game, but the support was ragged, and so the game was booted away. Lahn didn't pass a single batter throughout the game. A drizzling rain set in at the sixth innings, so the game was called. The next game is with St. John's College at Annapolis.

The score.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	T	H	E
Blue Ridge	3	0	2	0	0	0	5	7	1
Gallaudet	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	5	4

The track squad sent a medley relay team to the track meet Saturday, May 10th, at the Central High School Stadium, to race the Washington Canoe Club. Boatwright led off and led his man ten yards at the first 220 yards. Williams held the lead on his lap. Capt. Stephens seemed to have been ailing, as he lost the lead in the quarter mile, and Kaercher who was running the half mile on the last leg of the race was unable to overtake his man. It was a big disappointment to the men, as there were beautiful gold medals for the winners of the relay.

PHILADELPHIA.

The hundreds of former pupils of the Mt. Airy School will deeply regret to learn that Joseph J. Baily, for many years Principal of the Industrial Department, and A. H. Bodenhorn, who has filled the office of Steward for about twenty-five years, more or less, both suffered a stroke of paralysis last week, the attacks coming about three days apart from each other. Both men have been very capable and faithful officials, and the loss of their services, in case that they do not recover sufficiently to resume their duties, will be a serere blow to the Institution. It is even now felt. But it is too early to say yet how serious the cases are. Mr. R. M. Ziegler was a clerk under Mr. Bodenhorn, and Mr. Baily's work, was in the same building with them. It does smack strange that the three men who were closely associated with each other in work for a long time should be similarly afflicted within a comparatively short time, even from natural causes. We hope that the incapacitation in each case will be merely temporary.

Mr. A. Simone, Jr., son-in law of Mr. and Mrs. Wm H Lipsett, recently assumed the proprietorship of the Campiglia Hotel, 13th Street and Egg Harbor Road, Hammonton, N. J., situated close to New Jersey's famous White House Pike. Newly re-constructed the hotel attracts a large amount of patronge from it. The hotel belongs to an uncle of Mr. Simone, who sought to retire, and gave his nephew an option to purchase it. Mr. and Mr. Lipsett now make frequent week-ends to Hammonton and like the place very much.

Strawberry festivals are in order; ditto strawhats.

Miss Margaret H. Jones, of Jamaica, N Y., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Stevens, at their Merchantville, N. J, home from Saturday to Monday, 18th. Mr. Stevens was one of Miss Jones' former schoolmates. We were also glad to see her again.

At the meeting of the Philadelphia Local Branch at All Souls' Parish House on Saturday evening, May 17th, the Rev. Arthur D Bryant, of Washington, D. C., lectured on "Horses of History," to a good-sized audience. Rev. Bryant, who is a Baptist missionary in and around the National Capital, succeeded in a marked degree to interest and entertain his audience by his lucid and graphic delivery, which was very much appreciated.

Among other week-end visitors, on the 18th, were Misses Elizabeth and Hannah Ahrens, Florence Lacey and Mrs. Raymond Fritz, all of Reading, Pa., and Morris N. Garbet, of Scranton, Pa. Mrs. Garbet has been in the city a week and will stay a while longer. There were several other visitors from nearby places and they are frequenters.

Remember the Memorial Day picnic at All Souls' grounds; all welcome.

NEW JERSEY

The Hudson County Branch of the National Association of the Deaf will hold its third annual Bazaar and Festival in Heye's Hall, 727 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, on Saturday evening, May 24th.

The entire proceeds from this affair will be devoted to the convention Fund of the State Branch. The young ladies in charge have been working like beavers for several months to make the Bazaar as attractive as possible.

As the second biennial convention of the New Jersey State Branch of the N. A. D. will be held in Jersey City this summer at the People's Palace, it is to be hoped the deaf hereabouts will accord the Bazaar on May 24th, the financial support it deserves.

The convention is to take up three days as follows: On Saturday, August 30th, it will open at 2:30 P. M. promptly, with addresses by several prominent city officials and deaf persons.

On Sunday, August 31st, there is to be an all day excursion up the beautiful Hudson, probably to Indian Point, and on Monday (Labor Day), September 1st, the entire morning will be devoted to a business session

In the afternoon, there may be an Athletic Carnival in the Hudson County Park, weather permitting.

Charles Hummer is in charge of the program and entertainment of the visitors, and he is bending all his efforts towards making the convention one of the best and most attractive New Jersey has ever had.

Saturday evening, from 8 to 9 o'clock, moving pictures will be on tap, and from 9 to 11:30 o'clock a a banquet will be. A fine array of prominent deaf speakers are expected to grace the festive board with their oratory. Tickets for the banquet are $1.75 a cover, and may be secured by sending a money order covering the full amount to Charles Hummer, 92 Tonnele Avenue, Jersey City, up to August 19th.

Monday evening the convention will wind up with a dance in the auditorium of the Palace.

C. H.

FANWOOD.

Tuesday, May 20th, was a great day at Fanwood. The Board of Directors and Members of the Institution held their Annual Meeting and elected Officers for the ensuing year, and Directors for three years. The elections resulted as follows:—

President, Samuel R. Betts; First Vice-President, Wm. M. V. Hoffman; Second Vice-President, Bronson Winthrop; Secretary, F. A. de Peyster; Treasurer, John D. Peabody.

Directors—(to serve three years, until the third Tuesday in May, 1927)—William Adams Brown, Laurent Clerc Deming, George R. Dyer, C. Gouverneur Hoffman, William M. V. Hoffman, Leroy King, Charles A. Leale, Henry A. Stickney.

There was also a meeting of the Ladies' Committee.

MILITARY CEREMONIES

The military ceremonies began at three o'clock in the afternoon. The weather was rather chilly, under a sky that threatened rain. However, no rain fell, and everythings went off with customary precision.

The afternoon's program was circulated among the visitors and spectators and read as follows:—

REVIEW BY Captain Edwin R. Fox, formerly with 369th U. S. Infantry.

SETTING-UP EXERCISES, ACCOMPANIED BY CADET BAND.

EVENING PARADE.

INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION IN THE MANUAL OF ARMS—Judges:—
Captain Edwin R. Fox, formerly with 369th U. S. Infantry, Captain Richard W. Coleman, formerly 107th U. S. Infantry and First Lieutenant Lester Brown, formerly 22d U. S. Infantry.

AWARDED OF MEDALS.

DISMISSAL OF COLORS.

The setting-up exercises and Evening Parade reflected credit upon the military instructors and the deaf cadets alike.

In the competition in the manual of arms, great interest was manifested. The judges penalized the slightest deviation from perfect form by ordering the offender to step back from the line. The excitement among the pupils was at fever heat as the number of competitors dwindled down to three or four, and a buzz of finger talk followed the selection of the winners.

The winners of this year's medals are as follows:

The Russell Gold Medals for highest proficiency in the school of the soldier, were awarded as follows:

Company "A"—Cadet Louis Bayarsky.

Company "B"—Cadet Dock Murray.

Company "C"—Cadet William Raynor.

The George Moore Smith Medals, for excellency in the Manual of Arms were awarded as follows:

Company "A"—Cadets Harold Yager and Natale Cerniglio.

Company "B"—Cadets Nicholas Giordano and Michael Capocci.

Company "C"—Cadets Valdamir Mazur and Vincent Sherman.

The Sanger Memorial, for Excellence in the Band, was won by Cadet Sergeant and Assistant Band Leader Isidore Dietz.

The Gold Medal for Excellence in Band and Field Music, was won by Cadet Drum Major James Garrick.

The Principal's Gold Medal, for the best drill officer, was awarded to Cadet Lieutenant and Adjutant Joseph Krassner.

There was an exhibition of Sewing and Millinery in the girls' sewing room in the morning.

MOTHERS' MEETING

A large and most interesting Mothers' Meeting assembled in the girls' study room at two P.M. on the afternoon of Friday, May 16th. Over one hundred parents and guardians of the Kindergarten children were present, and were shown the actual processes as followed daily in the classroom.

The children were perfectly at ease, and the exercises were really a revelation, indicating that the pupils and their teachers were *en rapport*. Every class took part in the exercises as indicated by the subjoined program, which opened with a few words of introduction by Principal Gardner.

Miss Dolph—Lipreading. Charts. Writing
Miss Forsythe—Montessori material. Sand paper letters Lipreading commands.
Miss Rolshouse—Elements. Combining elements. Word building. Commands.
Mrs. Cormack—Elements. Combinations. Words, Calendar.
Circle Exercises in Imitation Rhythm. Mrs. Cormack and Miss Cornell.
Miss Smith—Action work, reproduced in speech and writing.
Miss Gay—More extended language, spoken and written.
Miss Burke—Calendar work.
Mrs. Watson—Number work.
Rhythm at piano—Miss Cornell.
Exhibition of Papers

That the parents were immensely pleased, was evident from their comments, which were profusely appreciative. Indeed it was a very fine and instructive exhibition of class-room routine, in which all, pupils and teachers alike, earned and deserved great credit.

An exhibition of the children's handwriting drawings and other handwork closed the exercises. We hope to have such exercises held at regular intervals, for they are not only interesting but instructive and helpful.

On the evening of May 16th, a Dancing Contest by the Barrager Athletic Association was held in the Girls' sitting room. The first prizes were won by Cadet Daniel Fox and Eva Siegel; second prizes by Cadet Adjutant Joseph Krassner and Sergeant Frances Voget. Principal Gardner presented the prizes.

Mrs. Elsie De Carney and Miss Hulda Larson are living on West 101st Street. They were both educated abroad, and are quite intelligent. They visited Fanwood on Monday last, and were escorted through the different departments by Miss Jessie Garrick.

Friday evening, May 16th at the opening of this season, Lieut. E. Edwards, the Band Instructor, and Lieut. Carl Frisch witnessed the exciting bicycle race at the New York Velodrome. Mr. Benny Leonard, the world's champion lightweight boxer, was the starter.

John B. Tansley, a former Fanwood pupil, is living in Philadelphia He owns a shoe repairing shop, with all up to date machinery, and doing well.

The Fanwood nine defeated the Glenale Oil Signal Co., team 12 to 8 at baseball last Saturday, the 17th inst., in a well played game. In the seventh inning Manager Frank Lux hit a ball over the left field to the Trades' School building, and made the score 8 to 6, a hit by Natale Cerniglio raised the figures to 10 to 6. Frank Lux struck out ten visiting batters.

The box-score:—

G. O. S. Co.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Roch, 3b	5	3	4	2	2	1
Malloy, ss	4	1	2	2	5	1
Lesser, c	5	2	3	8	0	0
Devlin, 1b	5	0	2	9	0	0
Teeney, p, cf	4	1	1	0	0	1
Reilly, 2b	5	0	0	2	2	0
Rice, lf	4	1	1	0	0	1
Klenikland, rf	4	0	1	0	0	1
Charles cf, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	40	8	14	23	12	4

FANWOOD	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Shafranek, ss	5	1	1	1	1	0
Fitting, rf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Altenderfer, 3b	3	3	3	1	1	0
Lux, c, p	4	3	2	2	1	0
Pokorny, 2b	5	1	3	3	3	1
Krassner, cf	5	1	0	0	0	0
Kerwin, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	3
Cerniglio, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Brickman, c	3	1	1	10	1	0
Forman, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	12	13	25	7	4

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
G. O. S. Co.	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	—8
Fanwood	3	0	1	0	1	0	5	2	x	—12

Two Base Hits—Roch, 4; Malloy, Lux, Fitting, Altenderfer. Three Base Hit—Malloy. Stolen Base—Teeney. Double Plays—Pokorny to Shafranek, Shafranek to Kerwin. Passed Ball—Lesser Left on Bases—Glenale Oil Signal Co, 7; Fanwood, 5. First on Balls—Off Teeney, 2; off Lux, 4. Struck Out—By Teeney, 6; by Forman, 1; by Lux, 10. Hits—Off Teeney, 11 in 7 innings; off Charles, 2; off Forman, 4 in 1 inning; off Lux, 10. Scorer—Cadet W. Kahn. Time of game—One hour and thirty minutes.

OMAHA

A literary society has been formed in Omaha with the following officers elected: President, E. M Hazel; Secretary, E. R. Dobson; Treasurer, Mrs. A. L. Hurt. A committee of five was appointed to arrange programs, laws, etc., representing each organization in Omaha, thus: Edwin Hazel, Episcopal Church; Clifford Ormes, Home Circle; Oscar Treuke, Lutheran Church; E. R. Dobson, Frats; O. H. Blanchard, Midwest Chapter. They meet on the fourth Saturday of each month.

The Home Circle held its last regular meeting of the season, Saturday, May 3d, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ormes. Forty-five were present, the largest crowd they have had at one meeting. A good deal of business was transacted and plans were made for a picnic, to be held at Fontenelle Park, on Saturday afternoon, May 31st. Entertainment features will be provided and an interesting time is promised for all who attend. Delicious refreshments were served.

The mid-west chapter gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mullin, Saturday evening, May 3d. As a quorum was not present no special business could be transacted. President Tom L. Anderson announced the date and place of the annual banquet. Four tables were played at "500," the prize winners being Dr. J. Schuyler Long and Miss Edith Anderson for highes scores, with H. G. Long and Mrs. Tom L Anderson second. Each received a handsome framed photograph taken at Gallaudet College. One of the statue, the main building, the entrance and corridor. Sandwiches, fruit salad, ice-cream, cake and coffee, were served.

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THE following is from the New York *World*. It is printed as a "special," and is quite interesting in its connection with deaf-mutes. It does not solve the problem of making the deaf to hear, but it is another step forward that will eventually lead to the ability to get information and communication in another way than by the eyes alone.

The wonders of today with trans-Atlantic telephony and broadcasting by radio, leads us to believe that almost anything is possible, and that in the future we will have the amazing paradox of the hearing deaf.

"The use of the cheek bone as a conductor to the auditory nerve, coupled with the amplification of speech and the suppression of extraneous sounds, is the secret of a telephone for the deaf which has been put into use by the Saskatchewan Government Department of Telephones.

"Some persons who have been unable to hear in twenty years have transacted "long distance" business over the telephone.

"Harvey Fletcher of the engineering department of the Western Electric Company, No. 195 Broadway, who has made tests of apparatus designed along the lines of the one described above, said yesterday:

"'It is possible, but tests I have made have not proved the theory to work satisfactorily in practice.'"

The Washington *Herald* of May 22d contained the following clipping:–

WOMAN, BLIND, DEAF FEELS RADIO TONES

From the recent experience of Helen Keller, it would seem that the radio has opened a new world to that remarkable woman. Although blind and deaf, her extraordinary sensitiveness has lightened her great handicap, and she now reports that she has "heard" the Ninth Symphony.

When a performance of the great work by the New York Symphony was broadcast, "listeners-in" at Forest Hills, L. I., suggested that Miss Keller should place her hand on the receiver. The cap being unscrewed, she lightly touched the sensitive diaphragm.

COULD FEEL VIBRATIONS.

Writing to the New York Symphony, she thus describes her sensations:

"What was my amazement to discover that I could feel, not only the vibrations, but also the impassioned rhythm, the throb and the urge of the music! The intertwined and intermingling vibrations from different instruments enchanted me. I could actually distinguish the cornets, the roll of the drums, deeptoned violas and violins singing in exquisite unison.

Work Among the Deaf-Mutes.

In a brief summary of the Baptist Home Mission Board work, the following is printed:—

"Rev. J. W. Michaels continues his work among the deaf-mutes with his accustomed zeal. He is sorely in need of assistance. We must speedily secure at least one helper for him. He is bending under the weight of years and service and it would be she part of wisdom for us to relieve him of some of his heaviest work of travel. The book prepared by him, "The handbook of the Sign Language," is meeting with most gratifying endorsement. He has two other small books in contemplation, which with the handbook, will give excellent facilities for effective work among the deaf-mutes. We look to the future with great encouragement in this phase of our work.

"Our activities in the interest of the 40,000 Deaf-Mutes in the South."

Gallaudet College.

The annual Junior–Senior party was held in the Kendall School Chapel from eight to eleven o'clock, on the evening of May 17th. There were about fifty guests present. This is the beginning of the series of events which occur during commencement.

The Senior class is making preparations for the closing of a most brilliant career on the Green, and are finding it rather hard, since the campus in all its glory is one of the lovliest spots in Washington.

The list below makes up the calendar for commencement.

Friday, June 6—Farewell Party (Y. M. C. A.)
Sunday, June 8—Baccaulerate Sermon.
Monday, June 9—Class Day, Senior Prom.
Tuesday, June 10—Presentation Day.
Reception by Dr. and Mrs. Hall.

The Literary Society held its last meeting of the year on Friday, the 16th. Mr. Mario Santin spoke from the Senior Class, and Mr. Charles Falk, of the Junior Class, made the response on behalf of the society.

It has been announced that Dr. James Sheera Montgomery, Chaplain of the House of Representatives, and pastor in one of Washington's largest churches, will deliver the Baccalaureate Sermon.

Gallaudet 68½ George Washington 48½

In spite of the fact that our track team was without the services of the brilliant Harmsen, it won the dual meet with George Washington University, Saturday afternoon, the seventeenth, on Hotchkiss field. Our men placed well in all events, although George Washington won eight firsts. Captain Tolson and Simmons, of George Washington, scored 15 points each, while Boatwright was our best bet with 12 points. It was a brilliant meet and several fine records were hung up. Rose, a dark horse, won the javelin throw, and the high jump eclipses the former records here. Falk also set a new discus throw. As a result of winning the meet, Gallaudet wins first leg on a silver bowl. The bowl must be won two times out of three in order to obtain permanent possession of it. Since Boatwright, Captain Stephens, Williams and Langenberg, all mainstays on the track team will graduate this year, next year's team will have a hard row to hoe.

Results:

100 yd. dash—1 Tolson, G. W., 2 Peake, G. W., 3 Stephens, Gallaudet. Time, 10 2-5 sec.

880 yd. run—1 Simmons, G. W., 2 Koercher, Gal., 3 Schenemann, Gal. Time, 2 min. 8 4-5 sec.

Javelin Throw—1 Rose, Gal., 2 Boatwright, Gal., 3 Falk, G. W. Dis., 154 feet.

220 yd. dash—1 Stephens, Gal., 2 Williams, Gal., 3 Tolson, G. W. U. Time, 22 9-10 sec.

Shot Put—1 Fry, G. W., 2 Young, Gal., 3 Jones, Gal., Dis. 37 ft. 4 inches.

120 yd. High Hurdles—1 Nichols, G. W., 2 Boatwright, Gal. 3 Pucci., Gal. Time, 17 3-5 sec.

440 yd. dash—1 Simmons, G. W., 2 Tolson, G. W., 3 Stephens, Gal. Time, 52 2-5.

High Jump—1 Tie, Nichols, G. W., 2 Riddle, Gal, 3 Boatwright Gal. Height 5. 9 ft.

Discus throw—1 Falk Gal. 2 Knaus Gal. 3 Pucci Gal. Distance 104.8 ft.

220 yd. low hurdles—1 Williams Gal. 2 Stephens Gal. 3 Tie, Pucci Gal. and Peake G. W. Time, 28 sec.

Pole vault—1 Tie, Riddle and Bradley Gal. 3 Tolson G. W. Height, 9.6 ft.

One mile run—1 Simmons, G. W. 2 Heinrich, Gal. 3 Pucci, Gal. Time, 4.57⅔

Broad jump—1 Tolson, G. W. 2 Boatwright, Gal. 3 Brown, G. W. Dis., 1 9:8 ft.

The Co-ed tennis team was defeated by the George Washington team in recent matches, by the score 3 to 2.

Doubles:—

Misses Kannapell and Dobson, Gallaudet, defeated Misses Woodford and Robinson, G. W., 9-7, 9-7.

Miss Newby, G. W., defeated Miss Brookes, Gal., 6-3, 6-0.

Miss Kannapell, Gal., defeated Miss ——, G. W., 6-3, 6-3.

Miss Chickering, G. W., defeated Miss Dobson, Gal., 6-2, 6-4.

Misses Brookes and Sandberg, the other doubles team, lost to the G. W. team in straight sets in the last and deciding game.

Several students and officers of the school have made trips to Great Falls to see the Potomac in flood stage. The river has been higher than in any year since 1889. Great property damage has been recorded in path of the flood.

FANWOOD.

On Thursday evening, May 22d, the Fanwood Literary Association held in the chapel a wonderful show, "Punch and Judy," given by two hearing entertainers. All of us were greatly pleased with the show.

THE F. A. A. AND B. A. A. FIELD DAY

On Friday, May 23d, at 1:30 P.M., the Fanwood Athletic Association and the Barrager Athletic Association held their Field Day. The weather was quite cool. There was present a crowd of pupils and also teachers, to see the contests, which began with a parade around the grounds led by the band. The President of the F. A. A. was the leader of the parade, with the officials, the track captains, and the Barrager Athletic Association.

FIELD DAY OFFICIALS were: President of Games, Colonel I. B. Gardner, Principal; Directors of Games, Lieutenant Frank T. Lux and Mrs. W. T. Somers; Judges at Finish and Field Judges, Dr. T. F. Fox and Mr. Thomason; Timer, Mr. Edwin A. Hodgson; Director of Music, Lieutenant Edwards; Starters, Lieutenant Frank Lux and Mrs. Somers; Captains of Track, Cadet Drum Major James Garrick, of F. A. A., and Miss M. Wood, of B. A. A.; Clerks of the Course, Cadet Adjutant Joseph Krassner, of F. A. A., and Miss Jessie Garrick, of B. A. A.

BOYS OF F. A. A.

100 Yards Dash—J. Garrick, first place; H. Yager, second; M. Ruthven, third. Time, 11 seconds.

70 Yards Hurdle—D. Fox, first place; B. Shafranek, second; P. Blend, third. Time, 9 seconds.

Running High Jump—D Fox, first place; F. Heintz, second; B. Ash, third. 5 feet.

Standing Broad Jump—P. Blend, first place; C. Madison, second; B. Ash, third. 14½ feet.

220 Yards Run—J. Garrick, first place; B. Shafranek, second; F. Heintz, third. Time, 25⅗ seconds.

440 Yards Walk—R. Pokorny, first place; C. Knobloch, second; Fasanello, third. Time, 1 minute 4 5 seconds.

880 yard Relay—(Yager's team), Yager, Shafranek, Blend and Schurman, first place; (Fox's team), Fox, Forman, Grossman and Madison, second; (Jacobucci's team), Jacobucci, Kerwin, Ash and Fasanello. Time, 1 minute 4-5 seconds.

One Mile Run Handicap—Manning, first place; Bayarsky, second; Schneider, third.

The Interclass Championship System for scoring as follows:—D. Fox, 13 points for first place; B. Shafranek and P. Blend, 11 for second; J. Garrick, 10 for third.

GIRLS OF B. A. A.

50 yards Dash—Wood, first place; Moore, second; Purdy, third. Time, 7 seconds.

Running High Jump—Wood, first place; Jackson, second; Purdy, third. 3 feet 8 inches.

Standing Board Jump—Allen, first place; Kauth, second; Cappola, third. 9 feet 7 inches.

Basket Ball—Getsdorf, first place; Moore, second; Murchie, third. 59 feet 11 inches.

440 yards Relay—Wood's team, first place; Hessek's team, second; Moore's team, third.

The gold ribbon with all-round championship won by Miss Mabel Wood, with a total of 11 points.

Principal Gardner presented the prizes to the winners.

The officers of the Fanwood Athletic Association for the present school term are: President of Athletics and Games, Isaac B. Gardner, Principal; Director of Athletic and Games, Lieutenant Frank Lux; President of F. A. A., Cadet Captain Joseph Mazzola; Vice President, Cadet Adjutant Joseph Krassner; Secretary, Cadet Captain Robert Fitting; Treasurer, Cadet Lieutenent Rudolph Behrens; Chairman, Cadet Color Sergeant Kerwin; Committee, Cadets First Sergeants Charles Knobloch and Ben Ash; Board of Trustees, Cadet Lieutenant Benny Shafranek, Chairman; Cadet Captain Raymond McCarthy and Cadet First Sergeant Jacob Gleicher.

The officers of the Barrager Athletic Association are: President of Athletics and Games, I. B. Gardner, President; Director of Athletics and Games, Mrs. W. T. Somers; President of B. A. A., Avis Allen; Vice-President, Sarah Egan; Secretary, Mabel Bowser; Treasurer, Lucy Tichenor; Chairman, Carmella Palazzatta.

On Saturday, May 25th, at 3 P.M., there was a crowd of pupils to see an exciting game between the New York Life Insurance Co. team and the Fanwood Nine. The New York Life Insurance Co. team trimmed the Fanwoods by the close score of 3 to 2. Dunn, of the visiting team, pitched, allowing three hits. He fanned thirteen Fanwood batters. From the first to the eighth inning, the score was 3 to 0. Finally the Fanwoods made two runs in the ninth inning.

The box score:—

N. Y. L. I. Co.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wood, cf	4	2	1	1	0	0
Lennon, 1b	3	0	0	6	0	2
Brandreth, ss	4	0	1	0	2	0
Dunn, p	5	0	3	2	3	0
Field, c	4	0	1	13	0	0
McMahon, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	1
Bischoff, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	1
Kamp, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
O'Reilly, rf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Brandwild, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	35	3	9	27	6	4

FANWOOD	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Shafranek, ss	4	0	0	0	2	0
Fitting, rf	3	0	1	1	1	1
Altenderfer, 3b	4	0	0	3	1	0
Lux, c	2	1	1	7	2	0
Pokorny, 2b	4	1	0	5	2	0
Krassner, cf	4	0	0	1	0	1
Heintz, p	3	0	0	2	2	1
Kerwin, 1b	3	0	1	5	0	0
Cerniglio, lf	4	0	0	2	0	2
Totals	31	2	3	26	10	5

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
N. Y. L. I. Co.	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—3
Fanwood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2

Three Base Hit—Wood. Stolen Bases—Field, Lux, 2. Sacrifice Hit—Field. Left on Bases—N. Y. L. I., 12; Fanwood, 6. First on Bases—Off Dunn, 3; off Heintz, 6. Struck out—By Dunn, 13; by Heintz, 6. Hit by Pitcher—Dunn, 2 (Fitting, Kerwin). Umpire—William Stokley. Scorer—Cadet Musician Daniel Aellis. Time of game—Two hours and fifteen minutes.

After the game, there was a terrific downpour of rain.

A clipping from the Tarrytown *Daily News*, of Monday May 19, indicates that the art course given at the Institution, under Miss Carroll, is having results. Arthur J. Lander, Jr., is a pupil still at school, and a member of the Palette and Brush Club, who has shown continued progress the last two years:

"The third annual boy's exposition held Saturday at the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, was a disappointment in view of the fact that a very small crowd turned out to it, but it was a real exhibition.

"The four classes—arts, crafts, hobbles and pets—were very cleverly displayed and the judges found it, hard to select winners in the face of the keen competition which resulted. Three prizes were awarded in each class and the winners received them this morning at Cramer and McCutchen's store.

"In the arts class Arthur Lander, of Tarrytown, captured first and second prizes with his unusually fine exhibits of drawing and paintings. In fact his work was considered by many to be the best in the entire exhibition, but the judges thought different and awarded the special prize for that department to Clifford Mack. Lander's work was magnificent and his paintings were art gems. His first prize exhibit, a pencil sketch of Douglas Fairbanks in "The Thief of Bagdad," showed great talent, and was perhaps the most commented upon of all the exhibits. Wilfrid Thornton won third prize with three drawings, two pencil sketches of Theodore Roosevelt and General Pershing, and a pen and ink sketch.—*Tarrytown Daily News, Monday, May 19, 1924.*

Binghamton, N. Y.

A new arrival of a baby girl came to Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis. Baby weighed nine pounds and was named Mary Jane Lewis. Both parents are proud.

On May 17th, Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock, a business meeting was held at the Christ Church parish house.

After the closing of the meeting, the refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nitto moved to Johnson City, N. Y., from Pittston, Pa., last March. Mr. Nitto is now in the General Hospital, for an operation he underwent on 16th last, and is gaining nicely.

Mr. Nitto got a job in the canning factory, at Hill Crest, but he expects to get a new job as a fireman for the Endicott-Johnson shoe manufacturing company in Johnson City, when he gets able to go to work again.

Hattie Anderson, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Anderson, of Endicott, was taken ill with scarlet fever a few weeks ago. When Mr. Lewis P. Garbett went to see Mr. Anderson on 4th, and when he had reached his house, he found that he could not go in on account of the sign by the Board of Health on a card at the door. Instead of going in, he and Anderson talked through the window a few moments.

Mr. Anderson said that his daughter was better. Mr. Garbett then went to make a call on Mr. and Mrs. John Scheuneman. A little later a small party of Scranton, Pa., drove up in an automobile and stopped here and they remained until after supper. They started for home. Mr. Garbett and the rest had a pleasant visit.

Miss Mary Rought went to the general hospital for the removal of the tonsils and adenoids a short time ago. She is getting along finely. She is staying with her cousin, Mrs. Briggs, on St. Charles Street, Johnson City.

Mr. John Nitto bought a house in Johnson City, where he and family live. It is a nice home, but they want to fix up the pantry, and kitchen and back porch.

A FRIEND.

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Tacoma News.

A "safety razor" played a good part in the apprehension of that notorious swindler, Eddie Sullivan, who is now in the federal prison at McNeil Island, where he was taken from Portland on April 17th, in company with four hearing prisoners, and where he is to serve four years for the more serious crime of violation of the Mann Act. While here in Tacoma, March 13th to 15th, he not only "kidded" some of the deaf out of hard earned dollars—one doling out as much as $25.00—but also "swiped" the safety razor of his kind host, at whose house he and his "sister-in-law" were entertained during their stay in Tacoma. Said kind host, unsuspicious that he was entertaining a swindler, until the day following their departure for Portland, when he missed his valued safety razor, lost no time in notifying Mr. Hanson, of Seattle, who at once wired Portland, thus starting the ball rolling toward the capture and incarceration of the culprit.

The monthly business and social meeting of the T. A. D., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Key, on March 30th, was attended by the usual good crowd and out-of-town visitors. The membership roll of the Association was increased by six new members, as follows: Mr. Clarence Furlow, who demonstrated his faith in the Association by joining for two years; Mr. Charles Martucci, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carlington, Mrs. Stella Boston, and Mr. Ofen Elliott (honorary). After adjournment of business the rest of the afternoon and evening was enjoyed chatting and playing games. In a contest, Mrs. Eva Seeley won the prize, a box of candy. The out-of-town visitors present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sidney George Raison and Mrs. Stella Boston, Seattle; and Mr. Oren Etliott, Minneapolis, Minn., who is visiting various cities on the coast. He joined the Association to *Boost* it, and incidentally himself. He is some booster, we acclaim!

The latest newcomers to boost our deaf population are Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carlington and baby daughter, from Crystal Lake, Ill., who came to Tacoma about February 25th, and are making their home in Puyallup, where Mr. Carlington has secured employment at the lumber mill.

The change of climate has proved beneficial to Mrs. Carlington, who has been in ill health for some time.

Mr. Charles Martucci, who has been in Tacoma for some time, expects to leave in June for San Francisco, where his parents reside.

Seattle is about to lose one of her charming deaf ladies in the person of Mrs. Stella Boston, who on June 22d will become the bride of Mr. Albert W. Lorenz, of this city. We are all very well pleased at the gain to Tacoma, and our heartiest congratulations are extended to the happy couple, who are ideally matched, we think. Mrs. Boston is a sister of Mrs. J. A. Key, of Tacoma, and Mr. John Bodley, of Seattle.

Cards are out for a miscellaneous shower to be given the bride-elect at the home of Mrs. Key, on Saturday afternoon, May 17th, and several other affairs are being planned in her honor.

On Saturday evening, April 12th, Mr. Lorenz, Mrs. Boston and Mr. and Mrs. Key, attended a "500" card party at the Sunshine Community Club, of which Mr. Lorenz is a member (an organization of the hearing people in the neighborhood of his home at Sunshine Station, about one mile beyond the city limits, south of Fern Hill), and in the contest Mrs. Boston won the prize—a silk handkerchief. Needless to say, Mr. Lorenz was very proud indeed, his bride-to-be a prize winner!

The above trio of four spent Easter at Oring, Wash., with a hearing sister of Mrs. Boston and Mrs. Key.

Mr. J. A. Key has secured a more remunerative position at the Washington Parlor Furniture Manufacturing Co.

Mr. John W. Burgett likes it so well in Tacoma that he has purchased three lots in the suburbs of the city, and expects to build a cottage thereon soon. Who the lucky lady to share this home is, we are not yet informed.

Mrs. Eva Berglund Seeley announces that she has acquired a chauffeur for her car by marriage—not by herself, but by her daughter, Edna, who was married on April 12th. Congratulations!

It is not unusual for one, in this busy life, to forget the passing of time and get days mixed. One day, some time ago, a humorous incident of this sort occurred when one of our deaf ladies, thinking it was Saturday, when in reality it was Sunday, did a washing in the morning, after which she donned her street dress and hied herself to town to do her usual Saturday shopping. Arriving there, said lady first went to the P. O., but, alas! the doors were locked. Looking around in puzzlement her eyes met those of a hearing lady, standing nearby, also looking at her in puzzlement. Then further down the street she wended her way and tried several store doors; they also were locked! What does this mean, what sort of holiday is this, wondered she, in bewilderment, looking about for flags and other such holiday evidences, but all was quiet and serene. At last "our lady" decided to call on a deaf lady friend and solve the solution.

Now, it so happened that on this particular Sunday there was to be a T. A. D. meeting. Arriving at this lady friend's, she found the latter "all dressed up and going out."

"What day this," inquired "our lady." "Why don't you know, this is Sunday, and are you not ready to go to the T. A. D. meeting," replied the lady friend, looking at the street dress in puzzlement.

"Oh——! I must hurry home and dress," and she started out—"but wait"! says the lady friend, "never mind, it will be late, you know, and here is an extra blouse I have that will just fit you." And so, with no time lost, the two ladies wended their way happily to the T. A. D. meeting, and nobody was the wiser!

Mr. Ernest Rowland is the proud owner of 1000 "incubator" baby chicks. Won't you invite us to a chicken dinner some day, Ernest?

Mrs. Harry Huffman returned, three weeks ago, from St. Louis, where she went last March, upon receiving word of the death of her mother, who died suddenly of heart failure.

The T. A. D. meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gerson, on April 27th, was a combination business and house-warming party. The new house is an attractive, modern, five-room bungalow, on three lots, which John built himself, with the assistance of Mr. Holger Jensen, of Olympia, who is a good carpenter. Except for a few finishing touches and painting, the house was completed. It has a large attic and basement and the rooms have some built-in features. John has always been a steady worker, and this attractive home is a good demonstration of what one of such good habits can achieve.

At this meeting three new members were added to the T A. D. roll, which now numbers 41. There were two newcomers, Mrs. J. C. Herrington, from Ellensburg, and Mr. James Manly, from Dawson, N. D. Visitors were: Mr. Frank Powers, of Buffalo, S. D.; and from Seattle were: Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wright and daughter, Vivian; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ziegler and children; Mrs. Jack Bertram, Mr. and Mrs. Olof Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney George Raison, and Mrs. Stella Boston. Among the matters of business at this meeting was the selection of a committee for the Fourth of July picnic. They are: Mr. C. P. Stuard, (Chairman), Mr S. D. Eaton, Mr. Ernest Rowland, Mrs. Wm. Rowland and Mrs. Stella Boston.

The meeting of the T. A. D. on May 25th will be at the home of Miss Mabel Slegel, 4714 So. Puget Sound Avenue, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

It is a well-known fact that a man in love is sometimes blind to all outward things, and in such a state he is apt to perform strange feats, etc. A humorous incident of this sort occurred at the above party when Mr. Lorenz (he does not object to having his name in print and he likes jokes told on himself) was leaving in the evening, to accompany his lady-love to the dock, where she was to take the boat for Seattle. On the way down, something seemed amiss; his overcoat seemed to misfit, its shade of color seemed to have changed, and the pockets failed to contain the things he sought, but instead, revealed articles strange to him. Investigation revealed the fact that he had appropriated some other man's coat! After seeing his lady-love safely on the boat, he returned to the party to explain the error of his ways and claim his property. The incident caused much merriment, of course. Every body loves a lover!

Mr. Jno. Wooldridge says that if we will hold our Fourth of July picnic at his country place in Puyallup, he will give us a feast of strawberries, of which he expects to grow an abandant supply. Let's!

Another late newcomer to be welcomed to our circle, is Mr. James Manly, from Dawson, N. D., who is in the restaurant business with his hearing sister in Puyallup. He likes our mild climate where blizzards are unknown.

Mr. Frank Powers, a cowboy, of of Buffalo, S. D., is visiting his hearing sister in Puyallup.

Mrs. John Gerson will leave about the 22d of this month, to visit her parents at Fosston, Minn., She will make several stop overs, including Chicago, and may attend the N. F. S. D., Convention to meet old friends, as she is an ex-Minnesotian. Her maiden name was Effie Olson.

Mrs. Eva Berglund Seeley and daughter, Elinor, enjoyed an all-day auto ride one Sunday, last March, with her daughter, Beulah, and family, in their Star. Leaving home about 10 A.M., the party motored out as far as Union, Wash., near Hood's Canal, passing through several interesting towns on the way, and enjoying the beautiful scenery of woods and lakes. The return trip was made *via* Gig Harbor, from where they ferried to Tacoma, arriving home about 8 P.M.

Mrs. S. D. Eaton invited a number of the deaf (members of the Lutheran Church) to her home on April 13th, in honor of her husband's birthday.

One by one the ladies are parting with their long tresses and bobbing their hair, and so far, there seems to be no remonstrance on the part of their hubbies. In fact, one went so far as to assume the role of barber and hair dresser himself, cutting and curling his wife's hair, and the result won the admiration and approval of all.

Watch us grow!

TACOMA BOOSTER.

May 12, 1924.

PORTLAND, OREGON

The S. F. L. club held its monthly meeting at the Redmen's Hall, Saturday evening, May 3d. The main topic of the meeting was the design of the new club pin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lee took Mr and Mrs. Wirth in the former's machine to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thierman's home Sunday, May 4th, and spent the afternoon there. The Lees have been in Portland about a year, having come from the East, and Mr. Lee has been running an auto paint shop of his own until recently.

Just before they moved to Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Reeves were honor guests at a party given by Mr. and Mrs. J Fisher at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gannon. The Gannons entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Kreidt Sunday, May 4th.

Monday, May 5th, the Wild Rose Club, an organization of the pretty young deaf girls of this city, elected new officers as follows: Mrs. Royal Cooke, president; Wilmette DeLashmutt, vice-president; Rosalie Hendrickson, secretary, and Ruth Seelig, treasurer. At the conclusion of the election the Wild Roses were presented with flower pots, which turned out to be dishes of ice cream and cake, as usual.

Mrs Effie Gerde's husband left May 7th, for at least a year's stay in Alaska. Recently Mrs. Gerde traded her Paige of ancient vintage for the sprightly used Jewett.

Another addition to the local deaf auto owning crowd is Mr. Peters, who is the possessor of the 1919 model Dodge, evidently believing in the "long life" of the Dodge. In the last Portland news column, it was stated that Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kautz ordered a brand new Hupmobile, but soon after this bit of news got out of the writers' hand, they found the new car would not be delivered until July, so they bought a Hup demonstrator so as to satisfy their motoring "bee." The car is handsome in appearance and is as good as new in mechanical condition.

The J. Fisher house is undergoing repairs, and we are looking toward the day, when the Fishers give a "house warming" party.

Sunday, May 3d, Mr. and Mrs. Reichle and family dined at the home of the Lindes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lynch "flivvered" to Aumsville, Oregon, Saturday, May 3d, and spent the week-end with their folks.

Madames Thierman, Gerde, Lawrence and Wirth, and Miss Moller entertained the S. F. L. ladies a short time ago with a delicious luncheon, at Mrs. Wirth's new home in Portsmouth district.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jorg have a nice little ranch, a short distance from the city, and their specialty is that of raising chicken fryers. They have a permanent contract with a prominent nearby roadhouse to sell fryers to the latter, and in the wintertime the fryers are sold at $1 apiece.

Friday evening, May 2d, the pupils at Vancouver, Wash., School for the Deaf staged a play entitled "The Little Golden Locks, and the Three Bears," for the benefit of the Chefoo, China, school for the Deaf. Mrs. Belle Stout Divine and her assistants were given creditable praise for their painstaking efforts in directing the successful play.

Wednesday evening, May 14th, Madames Lynch and Linde were joint hostesses at a "500" party, at which were present, besides the hostesses Mr. and Mrs. Thierman, Mr. and Mrs. Kautz, Mrs. Guie Leo Deliglio, Miss Wilmette DeLashmutt, and Messrs. Allen, Van Emon and Linde. The high point man was Mr. Thierman, and the high point woman, Mrs. Kautz, and both of the winners got nice prizes. But the identity of the booby prize winner was not disclosed—however, whoever won the envied booby prize soon forgot his misfortune when a real good "eats" was passed around.

Now that the summer vacation is near at hand, some of the Eastern deaf-mutes may contemplate taking a trip to the Pacific Coast, which should include Portland as a stopover. It is worth while to take in Portland and the surrounding country, which furnish pleasant sight-seeing from the scenic point of view. The writer will be very glad to send any needed information to whoever may wish to come over and visit the Rose City. Welcome to the Oregon country!

MR. AND MRS. C. H. LINDE.

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